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Re: Application no.: 10/502,329 Issue date: 17 July 2007
US patent No. 7,243,950

Dear Ms. Burke,

On July 22, 2011 I have sent you a response to a letter from the Office of Petitions mailed 28 February 2011. A copy of my response as filed is enclosed.

Upon checking the online-registry from the USPTO, I noticed the decision from the Office of Petition dated September 28, 2011. This decision was sent to Lewis and Roca LLP, the former attorney, instead of our office. The correspondence address for this patent was changed in the Power of Attorney submitted July 22, 2011.

Could you please send the original decision to the current correspondence address.

Respectfully submitted,

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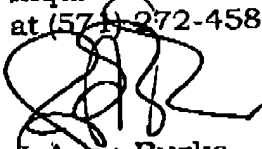
This is a notice regarding your request filed July 22, 2011, for acceptance of a fee deficiency submission under 37 CFR 1.28.

The Office no longer investigates or rejects original or reissue applications under 37 CFR 1.56. **1098 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 502 (January 3, 1989)**. Therefore, nothing in this Notice is intended to imply that an investigation was done.

Your fee deficiency submission under 37 CFR 1.28 is hereby **ACCEPTED**.

This patent is no longer entitled to small entity status. Accordingly, all future fees paid in this patent must be paid at the large entity rate.

Inquiries related to this communication should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-4584.


JoAnne Burke
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FEE DEFICIENCY SUBMISSION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.28

Dear Sir:

This is in response to a letter from the Office of Petitions mailed 28 February 2011.

Please consider this an assertion pursuant to 37 CFR 1.28(c) that the Applicants of the above-mentioned patent would like to be considered a large entity for the payment of maintenance fees.

Please find attached a revocation of power of attorney with a new power of attorney, along with a statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b), and an accompanying assignment.

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